

100 ENGLISH CONVERSATIONS FOR EVERYDAY LIFE



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Suitable for all ages • Includes Vocabulary

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Foreword

Learning a new language is a journey that begins with the simplest expressions and gradually leads to nuanced, complex discussions. From the first steps at A1 level, where learners practise basic greetings and everyday exchanges, to the mastery of C2 level, where they can engage in academic debates or philosophical dialogue, every stage strengthens the foundation of communication.

This book has been thoughtfully designed to guide you along that journey. The dialogues progress naturally from A1 to C2, reflecting real life situations and authentic language use. At the beginning, you will find short and practical conversations such as ordering food, asking for directions, or introducing yourself. As you advance, the dialogues become more detailed and intellectually engaging, involving professional settings, cultural discussions, and global themes.

Each unit includes a carefully selected list of useful expressions and vocabulary that help learners expand their linguistic range and express themselves with greater precision and confidence. These elements are meant to support learners in developing not only fluency but also a deeper understanding of how English works in different contexts.

The aim of this book is simple: to accompany learners step by step as they discover that language is not just something to study it is something to live. Whether your goal is travel, career

advancement, or personal enrichment, I hope these pages will inspire you to connect with English at every level and enjoy the path from beginner to mastery.

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Conversation 1 – At the Coffee Shop

Conversation

Emma: Good morning! Could I get a cappuccino, please?

Barista: Of course. Would you like that small, medium, or large?

Emma: Medium, please. Oh, and can I have an extra shot of espresso?

Barista: Certainly. Anything else?

Emma: Yes, a blueberry muffin. I didn't have breakfast, so I need something to keep me going.

Barista: We've got freshly baked ones. Would you like it warmed up?

Emma: Yes, please. That would be lovely.

Barista: Perfect. That'll be £4.50 altogether.

Emma: Here you go. Can I pay by card?

Barista: Absolutely. Just tap your card here.

Emma: Brilliant, thank you. By the way, do you have soy milk?

Barista: Yes, we do. Would you like me to change your cappuccino to soy?

Emma: That would be great. I'm trying to cut down on dairy.

Barista: No problem at all. Please take a seat; I'll bring your order shortly.

(A few minutes later, the barista brings the order.)

Barista: Here's your cappuccino with soy milk and your warm blueberry muffin.

Emma: Perfect, thank you so much.

Barista: You're welcome. Enjoy!

Emma: Excuse me, is the Wi-Fi password available here?

Barista: Yes, the network is "Daily Grind Wi-Fi," and the password is written on the wall near the counter.

Emma: Excellent. I'll probably be here for a couple of hours.

Barista: No worries, take your time.

Vocabulary List

Blueberry muffin: A sweet cake with blueberries.

Tap your card: Pay by holding a contactless card near a machine.

Dairy: Food made from milk, like cheese or butter.

Freshly baked: Just made in the oven.

Wi-Fi network: Wireless internet connection.

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Conversation 2 – At the Supermarket

Conversation

Liam: Excuse me, I'm looking for the milk. Could you point me in the right direction?

Shop Assistant: Of course. It's in the chilled goods aisle, just past the cheeses and yoghurts.

Liam: Great, cheers. And do you have any free range eggs?

Shop Assistant: Yes, they're on the shelf above the regular eggs. There's a special offer on them at the moment, two for £3.

Liam: Oh, brilliant! I'll grab a couple then. I need to get some fruit and veg too. Where are they?

Shop Assistant: The fresh produce section is right at the front of the store, near the entrance. You can't miss it.

Liam: Perfect, thanks a lot. By the way, is there a self-checkout area? I'm only getting a few bits and pieces.

Shop Assistant: Yes, the self checkouts are just over there. If you need any help, just give me a shout.

Liam: That's very kind of you. Thanks again!

Shop Assistant: No problem. Have a good day.

Vocabulary List

Chilled goods: Food that is kept cold in a refrigerator.

Free range eggs: Eggs from chickens that are allowed to roam freely.

Fresh produce: Fruits and vegetables that are fresh, not canned or frozen.

Self checkout: A machine where customers can scan and pay for their own items.

Aisle: A passage between shelves in a shop.

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Conversation 3 – Ordering a Takeaway Meal

Conversation

Chloe: Hi, I'd like to order a takeaway, please.

Restaurant Staff: Of course. What would you like?

Chloe: I'll have the chicken tikka masala, please. And could I get a portion of vegetable samosas to start?

Restaurant Staff: Certainly. Anything else?

Chloe: Yes, one portion of pilau rice and a garlic naan bread.

Restaurant Staff: Right, so that's one chicken tikka masala, vegetable samosas, pilau rice, and a garlic naan. Is that all?

Chloe: Yes, that's everything. How much will that be?

Restaurant Staff: That'll be £18.50, please.

Chloe: Okay. And when will it be ready for collection?

Restaurant Staff: It should be ready in about 25 minutes.

Chloe: Perfect. I'll be there then. My name's Chloe.

Restaurant Staff: Great, Chloe. We'll have it ready for you.

Vocabulary List

Chicken tikka masala: A popular dish of roasted marinated chicken chunks in a spiced curry sauce.

Vegetable samosas: Fried or baked pastry with a savoury filling, such as spiced vegetables.

Pilau rice: A dish of seasoned rice, often with vegetables or meat, cooked in stock.

Garlic naan bread: A type of leavened, oven baked flatbread with garlic.